

## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 637.0016USU

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We believe we are the original, and first joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed

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We hereby state the specification, inclu-	nat we hav	/A rovious d and	understand the contents of the ded by any amendment referre	
We acknowledge t	he duty to	disclose to the	U.S. Patent and Trademark Of y of this application as defined	
We hereby claim for foreign application( below any foreign a that of the application	pplication	(s) for notant an	der Title 35, United States Code certificate(s) listed below and h inventor's certificate(s) having med:	e, §119 of any nave also identified a filing date before
Prior Foreign Applicat	ion(s)			Priority Claimed
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We hereby claim the application(s) listed to application is not discontinuous.	benefit un below and closed in t	nder Title 35, Ur , insofar as the s	nited States Code, §120 of any subject matter of each of the cl	United States aims of this

application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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